

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer FLOYD S. NELSON
is a PRIVATE in ~~Company~~ THE Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this
is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 27th Legislature of the State of
Texas, approved March 29th, 1901, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited
as his authority to act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be sur-
rendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and
Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company
Commander.

Name	<u>Floyd S. Nelson</u>	Rank	<u>Private</u>
Age	<u>33</u>	Where born	<u>Collin Co., Texas</u>
Height	<u>6'</u>	Occupation	<u>Salesman</u>
Hair	<u>Light</u>	Enlisted Where	<u>Austin</u>
Eyes	<u>Gray</u>	Enlisted When	<u>30 August, 1918</u>
Complexion	<u>Fair</u>	Enlisted by whom	<u>Adjutant General</u>

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 3rd

day of September, A.D., 1918

Chas. F. Woodul

ACTING

The Adjutant General.

Attest:

Captain Ranger Force
Commanding Co.



AUSTIN LODGE NO. 201
BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ORDER OF ELKS
AUSTIN, TEXAS

1-19-18

Gen. Jas. A. Harley,
Adj't Gen. State of Tex.
Austin.

Tex.

Dear Sir: In accordance with your request of 14th inst. I am returning my commission as Special Ranger.

Please file my application for re-appointment for consideration.

Respt

F. S. Nelson
C/o Embrey & Co.
Dallas,
Tex.

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company _____ Ranger Force, Station _____

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Travis

I, F. S. Nelson

, born in Collin Co.

in the State of Texas, aged 33 years and _____ months, and by occupation a

Dept Mgr do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 21st day of

June, 1918, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such~~

~~bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ And I do solemnly swear

that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of

the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the

United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution

of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted

as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-

more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-

ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my

appointment. So help me God.

Floyd S. Nelson

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 30th day of August, A. D. 1918

P. A. Cardwell

Notary Public, Travis Co.

Fill in description below.

I certify that F. S. Nelson, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me

previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and

will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 33 years

_____ months of age. Height 6 feet _____ inches. Complexion Fair Eyes Gray

Hair Light Born at _____ County of Collin State of Texas

Occupation Dept Mgr Married or single _____ Previous service _____

Residence Waco, Texas

Remarks: Go E. M. Kahn & Co., Dallas

Captain Co. _____ Ranger Force

THE STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE

Name, *F. S. Nelson*

Rank _____

Company _____, Ranger Force

Station _____

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